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Sir:

This Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 addresses the issue of omitted Fig. 7 from the above-referenced application.

As evidenced by the attached Declaration of David Castro, the original Fig. 7 was deposited with the non-provisional application papers on October 23, 2001. This is further evidenced by the attached copies of the Express Mail Label (number EL676913534US) and Certificate of Express Mailing.

Further, as evidenced by the attached copy of the Return Post Card, duly stamped by the USPTO, and the attached copy of the Transmittal Letter, twelve (12) sheets of drawings were deposited with the USPTO with the non-provisional application papers on October 23, 2001. Fig. 7 was sheet eight of the twelve sheets deposited on October 23, 2001.

Please include Fig. 7 as part of the original non-provisional application and maintain the filing date of October 23, 2001. Fig. 7 is included in the set of substitute drawings required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84, which are included in this mailing.

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